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Dear Vicki and Jim,

We are really having our
mild winter. We have had
two days of a heavy snow
fall and it is still coming
down. The kids sent their
sleds on our corner are about
fifty strong, sliding down both
98th past Minnishes and down
29th. Someone even went up
to our carport attic and stole
our sled. When I went up
there before Christmas to get
the decorations the sled was
there. Today I went up to get
the sled to see if some kid
would like to use it but
it was gone. We are going to
have another storage room put
on and take everything down
from the attic. That attic is so
interesting I hate to change
it.

Yesterday was Aunt Stella's
birthday so we took Stella

and Harold to dinner at the Holiday Inn and had steak & lobster. We had a good time and then played a few hands of bridge at Benson's. When we left it was snowing hard and we just barely made the 24th St. Hill but we got home O.K.

Tomorrow Stella and I are going to Ellensburg if we can get over the pass. Stella called there tonight & Bernice and Charlie weren't home and the children had no food & there was no heat. It's a terrible situation so we are going to Jim's and buy groceries to take over there.

Mary and Mike are busy at the opening of the session.

I studied Swedish all day today as I had all of December off and our class was

cancelled this week on account

of the snow.

Had I think we should
sort of think of May for our
trip - before it gets too hot, but
when it isn't still cold. I
would like to plan on April
but we will let you know
in plenty of time.

Morning - we aren't going
to Ellensburg as the pass is
too unpredictable. I am going
over to Lynne Coopers instead.
The snow is starting to melt
now.

Love,

Mom.